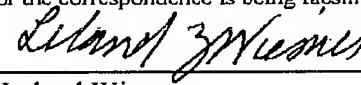


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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>				Atty Docket No: 00121 000700000		
Application Serial Number: 10/695,889	Filing Date: 10/28/2003	Examiner: Gabriel L. Chu	Art Unit: 2114			
Invention: Failure Analysis Method and System for Storage Area Networks						
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.						
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	34	MINUS	35	0	\$50	\$ 0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	8	MINUS	8	0	\$200	\$ 0.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of <u>5/10/2007</u> to 9/11/2007 and through <u>10/10/2007</u> , comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of:						
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> one month (\$120.00)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> two months (\$450.00)         </div> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> three months (\$1020.00)  <input type="checkbox"/> four months (\$1,590.00)         </div> </div>						
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>						
<input type="checkbox"/> Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.  <input type="checkbox"/> A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.  <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$_____ is attached.  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge \$ <u>450</u> to Deposit Account <u>502217</u> .  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required.  <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div> <u>09/12/2007</u> date         </div> <div>           Leland Wiesner Reg. No. 39424         </div> </div> <p>I hereby certify that this Correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal service with sufficient postage for first class mail in an envelope address to the Commissioner for Patents, Mail Stop PCT, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, or the correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO, on 09/12/2007.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 20px;"> <div>             Leland Wiesner         </div> <div>Reg. No. 39424</div> </div>						

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231RESPONSE

Dear Examiner:

Please consider our remarks and amendments on the subject application contained

herein below in response to the Office Action of May 10, 2007:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of  
this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.